

English – Reading and Writing

This half term, we will be reading *Throwing a Tree* by Thomas Hardy, *The Butterfly Lion* & *The Rhythm of the Rain*.

We will be writing a non-chronological report about different animals and a persuasive letter.

Maths

In maths, we will be exploring addition and subtraction of decimal numbers, multiplying decimal numbers by 10, 100 and 1000 and creating decimal numbers by dividing whole numbers by 10, 100 & 1000. We will then explore money as a measurement and make links to decimals.

Science

We are discovering what a food web and food chain is. This will involve linking an animal's diet to their habitat where they live and the food available in this habitat.

History

We will discover the Ancient Egyptians, looking at how they lived, why and how the pyramids were built and the importance of the River Nile to the Ancient Egyptians.

Art and Design

In our art lessons, we will be creating a computer-generated drawing and exploring how prints can be adapted to create different effects.

The Ancient Egyptians Year 4, Summer 1

Computing

We will use information technology to create a fact file linked to our history topic this term. We will also create a computer-generated drawing in art.

R.E.

We are learning about Christian beliefs about god and the world's religious leaders.

P.S.H.E.

This half term, we will look at the importance of relationships and how to have positive relationships with others.

P.E.

In P.E., we will be learning the skills need to play tennis and cricket. We will learn how to control a ball and how to work as a team.

Music

Through our music sessions, we will continue to learn the guitar and will start to work towards composing our own pieces of music.

M.F.L.

In our German lessons, we will be exploring how to communicate feelings, including illnesses, and identifying and describing jungle animals.